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MISSION SAN JOSE,
ALVARADO, DECOTO,
WARM SPRINGS

44 YEARS OLD

NILES, ALAMEDA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, THURSDAY MORNING APRIL 21, 1932

NUMBER 16

Flames Sweep Niles Cannery Buildings; Heavy Damage Done

NILES CHAMBER HEARS INTERESTING ADDRESS BY CHEMICAL EXPERT

ESCAPED ASYLUM MAN STEALS NILES CAR

A car belonging to R. M. Compton, Western Pacific railroad signalman, of Niles, was stolen Monday and later recovered on the other side of San Jose. Pete Orgeles, an escaped inmate of Agnew's Asylum near San Jose, was captured in the machine and returned to the asylum.

Compton found the machine missing and notified officers.

The capture was made by San Jose authorities, who after investigation found that Orgeles was an escaped inmate.

RETURN FROM VISIT

Mrs. Joe Cardozo returned Sunday from Sacramento where she had been visiting since last Tuesday.

TILE PLANT HEAD ESCAPES DEATH AS TRAIN HITS AUTO

Train Demolishes Car At Dickey Clay Works

W. H. Hearst, foreman of the Dickey Clay Manufacturing company at Niles, narrowly escaped death last Wednesday afternoon when his automobile was struck by a speeding Western Pacific silk train on the crossing beside the tile plant.

The car was entirely demolished by the terrific impact, while Hearst suffered severe lacerations of the nose and minor lacerations of the face and left arm.

Hearst was leaving the plant to take the mail to the Niles postoffice as was his custom. He was aware that no regular trains were scheduled to pass at that time thus was not on the outlook for the special train carrying a cargo of silk. When he observed the speeding locomotive he was unable to bring his machine to a stop in time to avoid the crash. The train struck with such force that the pilot was torn off the engine and the train was delayed until necessary repairs could be made.

The injured man was treated by Dr. E. C. Grau at Niles.

Manufacture of Newark Chemical Products Explained

Interesting information concerning the products manufactured by the California Chemical Works at Newark was related by S. G. Scott, head of the chemical manufacturing company's laboratory, to the Niles Chamber of Commerce at their regular meeting Monday noon.

A large and appreciative audience heard the chemical man outline the manufacturing processes undergone in the production of bromine, ethylene di-bromine and quicklime, the chief products of the chemical plant.

Bromine is produced from bittern, the liquid left after salt manufacturing concerns have removed salt from water, Scott explained. Bittern is kept in storage ponds alongside the plant and then treated to certain chemical process in order to produce bromine, used chiefly for medicinal purposes and in the manufacture of photographs.

From bromine, the chemical man described how ethylene di-bromide is manufactured through the introduction into the bromine of the ethylene gas obtained from alcohol. This product is shipped back east and used in the manufacture of ethyl gasoline.

Quicklime is another of the principal products of the chemical plant, explained Scott. He said it was manufactured from oyster shells found in abundance in south San Francisco bay. The chemical man passed around a number of chemical product samples as well as several pictures for the chamber members to inspect.

Scott called attention to the fact that Washington township has in the chemical works something different and unique in that it is with the exception of one other the only plant in the world engaged in the manufacture of the products described. The site of the Newark plant is ideally located and with the large abundance of raw materials on hand, Scott envisaged a great future for the industry. He extended a hearty welcome for anyone interested to visit the plant and gave assurance that all visitors would be taken through the works to inspect the manufacturing in detail.

Mosquitoes are rapidly being exterminated from this part of the

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3000 Cases of Fruit and 25,000 Boxes Are Destroyed

In one of the most disastrous blazes in the history of the town, fire completely demolished a Schuckl cannery warehouse containing approximately 3000 cases of canned fruit and an adjoining shed containing 25,000 lug boxes at Niles Friday afternoon. The total damage of the fire, according to George Hook, cannery superintendent, was estimated to be between \$25,000 and \$30,000, which is covered by insurance.

The warehouse was formerly the Victory Manufacturing foundry and had been purchased by the Schuckl interests several years ago.

The fire originated about 2:15 in the afternoon in the south end of the warehouse, located near the highway at the south entrance to Niles, and fanned by a brisk wind soon had the entire building in a mass of raging flames which threatened to sweep everything before it. The heat was intense and only the intensive efforts of the Niles fire department and other volunteer firemen prevented the spread of flames to the main cannery plant and other cannery buildings. A fortunate change of wind also contributed much toward preventing the spread of flames in the

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GRAMMAR SCHOOL DEBATE TEAM TO MEET IRVINGTON

School Week Program To Be Held Friday Evening

Members of the Centerville grammar school debate team have been working hard for the debate to be held with Irvington Friday afternoon. The question is "Resolved That Woodrow Wilson was a Greater Man Than Roosevelt." The Centerville team consisting of Emanuel and Mary Maciel, Edward Lewis and Robert Salz will uphold the affirmative side of the question. A member of the Washington Union high school faculty will act as judge.

A public School Week program will be held at the grammar school auditorium Friday evening, April 25. Exhibits of school pupils' work will be on display and an entertaining program has been arranged. The event is held for the purpose of getting the public better acquainted with the work of the school.

Pupils of the graduating class this year are undergoing intensive practice sessions under the direction of Mrs. Inez Silza for the operetta "Polished Pebbles" to be presented at the Washington Union high school on the night of June 8. School will close on the following day.

Dinner Dance Given For Betrothed Girl

A dinner dance was given Saturday night at an Oakland hotel by Rozaria Rodriguez in honor of Mary George, of Centerville, who announced her engagement to Ray Rodriguez.

The following Washington township people were present: Ray Rodriguez, Mary George, Jack Shackleton, Jimmie Nunes, Mary Lucas, Ernest Pementel, Marjorie Martin, Joseph Fontes, Lynn

MAN IS CRUSHED TO DEATH IN COLLISION NEAR CENTERVILLE

NILES NEIGHBORS DISPORT IN OLD FASHIONED GARB

Costumes Hark Back To Days of Grand- Mother

Old and cherished memories of the days when grandmother was a girl were awakened by the meeting of the Niles Neighbors of Woodcraft held last Wednesday night when all the members present were dressed in clothes in style during their mother and grandmother's heyday. Everything from the old fashioned flapper to the blushing bride were in display at the gathering.

Visitors were present from Hayward, Alameda, Fruitvale, and Oakland circles, they also being dressed in old fashioned garb.

Little Doris Oliver, age 2, captured first honors for the evening with her costume of a little old fashioned girl. Others capturing honors were Mrs. Bettencourt, of Hayward, Mrs. Souza, of Niles, Mrs. Alves, of Niles and M. Patterson.

Dancing was enjoyed by some of the young group, while delicious refreshments were served later in the dining room, beautifully decorated by the committee in charge.

TOYON BRANCH TO MEET APRIL 27 IN OLD NILES ADOBE

The Toyon Branch of the Children's hospital will hold its meeting Wed., April 27, in the old adobe on the California Nursery grounds, with Mrs. George Roeding, J., as the hostess. The meeting day also will mark the Annual Garden Day for the Toyon organization, and all garden lovers have been invited to attend the gathering.

A feature of the meeting will be an address by Mrs. Roland Bendel on the subject of Better Homes.

MAN ARRAIGNED ON DRUNK DRIVING CHARGE

Arraignment of Macedonio Esquibel, of Mission San Jose, on charges of driving while drunk, took place in the Niles justice court Tuesday afternoon. Preliminary examination will be held next Tuesday.

Esquibel was arrested Sunday by Traffic Officer Duffy Lewis after he was alleged to have collided with another car on the Niles-Centerville highway. When the accused sped away after the collision, the traffic officer was notified and caught Esquibel at Decoto. Two empty gallon jugs said to have contained wine were found in the car.

RECOVERED

Mrs. Everett Medenhall and daughter, have recovered from their recent automobile accident.

Frank Ferry and Jack Townsend were Pleasanton callers Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heiser visited with Mrs. Kate Renmackle in Oakland Sunday.

Cynthia Herzog, Leon Mendonca, Wilma Williamson, James Guillan and Myrtle Gribble.

Truck Driver Is Mangled Between Trailer and Car

Badly crushed between a trailer and a truck, Joseph Mercado, 30, and a truck, received injuries in an automobile collision Friday morning in front of the Washington Union high school at Centerville which resulted in his death.

A car driven by Barnard Elmo Libby, 29, of Richmond, drove into the rear of the trailer attached to Mercado's machine, while Mercado was standing between it and the truck tightening a rope. Libby told Traffic Officer Joe Lewis that he had gone to sleep at the wheel of his machine.

Mercado had stopped in front of the high school to let Miss Edna Salmon, high school student, who had ridden to school with him, out of the truck. He was talking with her at the time the accident occurred.

Mercado died at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon at the San Jose hospital.

ATTEND DISPLAY

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Swainson attended a cosmological exhibition in San Francisco Monday night. Some of the leading artists in the cosmological industry took part in the display.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Swainson and Miss Goodridge were San Francisco visitors Sunday.

WORK COMMENCES ON UNDERPASS IN NILES CANYON

Pleasanton Firm Awarded Contract for Needed Project

Actual construction work on the underpass at Farwell in Niles Canyon is now in progress with a large crew of men at work. The Southern Pacific company has moved a long work train into the side track and have been at work for the past two weeks.

Contract for building the underpass was let a week ago Monday by the county board of supervisors to C. A. Bruce and Sons, of Pleasanton. Bruce turned in the lowest bid out of twelve bids with the sum of \$19,689.25. They began work with a steam shovel this week.

County road crews were busy during March and part of this month doing the preliminary labor which they have completed. There are no county men employed on the project at the present time, according to Joe Gomes, county roadmaster.

Approximately 200 feet of new highway also will be constructed along with the underpass. When the project is completed a grade crossing that has been a constant danger to traffic will be eliminated as well as several dangerous curves, and two grades which have been causing trouble for heavy trucks using the canyon road.

JOINS THE DISPATCH

Al Jermy, formerly employed on the Township Register staff, is now a reporter on the Pittsburgh, (Calif.) Dispatch. Mr. Jermy has been visiting in Niles for several weeks, and left for his new assignment last Wednesday night.

Mrs. Nell Molino, of San Francisco, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Fournier Sunday.

PROSPERITY RETURN SEEN IN BUILDING ACTIVITY AT NILES

EX-BOARD MEMBER TO BE HONORED WITH DINNER

Honoring his long years of efficient service on the Washington Union high school board of trustees, a dinner will be held at the high school Thursday night for F. V. Jones, of Niles, who is retiring from the board on April 28.

Members of the present high school board and their wives will sponsor the affair.

YOUTH HURT WHEN CAR STRIKES CYCLE

Mariano Harrero, 18, of San Lorenzo, was badly hurt Saturday morning near Decoto when a car driven by Curtis Bankston, 22, of Oakland, struck from the rear the motorcycle Harrero was driving.

Officer Norman G. Vadnais arrested Bankston on a charge of reckless driving.

Three New Business Structures In Process of Construction

Who says Niles is suffering from "hard times"? The use of this term or that of "depression" can hardly be applied with appropriateness to Niles, judging from the boom in building activity taking place at the present time.

If the construction of new buildings can be taken as an indication of prosperity and good times, then Niles can be said to be entering into just such a reign. With three buildings in the process of construction by Niles people, genuine harbingers of returning prosperity are clearly outlined on the economic horizon which has been somewhat fogged by the discouraging air of pessimism during the last two years. An optimistic attitude in regard to business trends is evidenced when new business establishments are erected as is being done in Niles by J. A. Silva, the American garage, C. B. Crane, and the Duster brothers.

Work is rapidly progressing on Silva's approximately \$12,000 building at the corner of First and J streets, with concrete being laid for the walls this week. The

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Editorial Comment

NORMAN H. PARKS, Publisher Register

POLITICAL COWARDICE

FOR SEVERAL months, every so often, we have read dispatches from Sacramento to the effect that Governor Rolph was about to reveal to the expectant public just what he was going to do about the Mooney pardon. In a few more days, so the stories run, the executive would have his complete report from his legal advisers and, after studying it carefully for a few days, he would render his decision one way or another. Now when we see this tale in the paper we only read the first few lines and move our eyes down the column to the next story. Too much fiction makes us sick.

Political Cowardice!

Rolph is like the rest of the governors; afraid of the Mooney issue. He handles it like it was a stick of dynamite. He deals in sophistry. He appoints commissions like his predecessors did. He puts off the day of settlement from time to time, doubtless hoping that the noted prisoner at San Quentin may die before there is a show down, thus relieving him of the necessity of antagonizing one element or the other.

Of course Rolph has no intention of pardoning Mooney. "The better element" of San Francisco has turned thumbs down on such a thing. Once in a while we run across a governor who has the strength of character to do as he thinks right regardless of the wishes of that part of society which controls most of the wealth. One would hardly expect such a thing from Rolph, though; he is just a ward politician who imagines the most important functions of the governorship are to look "keen" and pose with pretty girls at carnivals.

So the Mooney case dangles while the governor attends the horned toad hop at Palm Springs and the Wampus ball at "Hell-e-wood". He has the daring to make a "show" of himself among pretty females, but not the courage to say one way or the other what he thinks of an issue that has stirred the world for a decade. He has the "pep" to fly at the great speed of three hundred miles an hour that he might not be late to officiate at a toad derby, but he moves like a snail when a controversial matter cries to high heaven for settlement.

COMING EVENTS

CAST THEIR
SHADOWS BEFORE

REGISTER'S FRATERNAL, SOCIAL
AND AMUSEMENT CALENDAR

- April 22—Niles Fire Department Meeting, Fire Hall, 7 p. m.
- April 25—Odd Fellows, I. O. O. F. Hall, 8 p. m.
- April 25—Toyon Branch, Children's Hospital.
- April 27—Niles Guild.
- April 30—Mission P.T. A. Masquerade Dance, I. D. E. S. Pavilion Mission San Jose.
- May 4—Niles Guild.
- May 3—Ladies' Auxiliary, Memorial Hall.
- May 5—Welfare Board Memorial Library.
- May 6—Rebekahs, I. O. O. F. Hall, 8 p. m.
- May 10—Parent-Teachers' Association, Grammar School.

ALVARADO WEEKLY NEWS

Alvarado School Club Elects New Officers

A meeting was held Friday morning in the school auditorium to elect officers for the Alvarado School Aunt Elsie Kiddie Club. Mrs. Orelli acted as chairman. Those elected were: John Accinil, pres.; Eva Soares, sec.; Marion Zeigler, letter writer; Alvina Santos, treas.

Tuesday afternoon Mr. Brown and Mr. Schwartz of the Oakland Tribune representing the Aunt Elsie Club gave interesting talks on the organization.

ATTEND P. T. A. MEET
Mrs. Ziegler, Mrs. A. K. Logan and Mrs. J. P. Boyd attended the Parent Teachers' convention at Pittsburg on Monday. Mrs. Orelli, president of the Alvarado organization was unable to attend. The delegates reported an enjoyable time.

ART EXHIBIT
April 18 at 2:00 p. m. an exhibit by the Gridley Art Foundation was held in the Alvarado Grammar school auditorium. The program was very interesting and well attended.

Mrs. Olive Lewis, and children of Benecia, spent the week-end visiting relatives here.

E. K. Collins has been confined to his home for the past two weeks due to illness. His brother, Mr. W. Collins, of San Jose has been visiting here.

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Girl Honored On Seventh Birthday

Alberta Menezes was guest of honor at a party celebrating her seventh birthday Thursday afternoon of last week. Refreshments were served on a beautifully decorated table. The color scheme was orchid and green. Games were played and dainty honors were awarded. Those present were: Alvina Santos, Winifred Santos, and Junior Jacinto. Mrs. O. Santos and Mrs. J. Jacinto and Mrs. A. Davilla were also present.

RECUPERATING
Mrs. Antone Machado, of Mountain View, is recuperating at the home of her father, Mr. Manuel Andrade, after her return from the Palo Alto hospital.

WILL MOVE
Mr. D. Dias and family will move shortly to his building on Levee St., where he will combine his home and butcher shop.

Mrs. Mary Vargas, of San Leandro, has been spending the past two weeks with her son, A. E. Vargas.

Among those who spent Monday in Oakland were: Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Perry, Mrs. Manuel Borges, Mrs. Antone Santos and children and Mrs. Genevieve Dutra.

Mrs. Edward Vargas motored to Oakland on Wednesday.

PLANS COMPLETED FOR HOLY GHOST FESTIVAL

Plans have been completed for the Alvarado Holy Ghost festival to be held April 23rd and 27th. The hall which has taken only three weeks to complete is ready. Friday night the flags were placed on the main streets of the town. The committees have been working strenuously cleaning the grounds. It was learned this week, the queen, Miss Adeline Silva, will make her home at Mrs. O. C. Vargas due to the fact the distance to her home is too great.

County Postmasters Plan Organization

The majority of postmasters of Alameda county were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kessler, of San Lorenzo, Sunday. The purpose of this meeting was to begin a new organization of the postmasters of Alameda County. A committee was appointed to draw up a set of by-laws for the group and make plans for its next meeting. Those appointed to serve on this committee were: Mrs. A. Santos, of Centerville; Mrs. Blacow, Irvington; Mrs. Robinson, Mt. Eden; with Mrs. Kessler, of San Lorenzo, as chairman. Mrs. Kessler, postmaster of San Lorenzo, called the meeting to order and appointed Mr. Hughes, postmaster in San Bruno, to preside. Addresses were given by Wm. Friend, Oakland postmaster, Mr. Bradford, Hayward postmaster, and Mr. Hammond, Alameda postmaster.

Alvarado Personals

Madelyn Avila, who is training at the Providence Hospital in Oakland, spent the week-end with her parents in Alvarado.

Mrs. H. M. Springer and son, Morton, of Alameda, were visitors in Alvarado Saturday of last week.

Miss Bessie Smith, of Alameda, visited with her father, S. L. Smith, of Alvarado, during the past week.

Mrs. G. P. Hellwig, of Alvarado, recently returned from an extended visit in the southern and central part of the state.

G. P. Hellwig, and J. P. Boyd, visited in Pittsburg, Walnut Creek, and Danville Wednesday.

Joan Boyd, of Alvarado, spent the week-end with friends in Alameda.

Mrs. A. Da Villa and son, Morris, recently moved from their home on Levee street, to a new home on W street, in Alvarado.

W. J. Laplante, of Berkeley, was a business visitor in Alvarado Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Boyd and daughters, Bernice and Joan visited friends in Berkeley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Richards and son, Henry, of Oakland, visited with Mr. Richard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Richards, in Alvarado Monday evening.

Fred Muller, of Alvarado, left Sunday evening for Seattle, where he is playing baseball with the Seattle club.

Joseph Otto and Mrs. Frederick Muller, of Alvarado, attended the Oakland-Seattle baseball game at the Oakland ball park Sunday.

Jos. Silva recently returned from a trip to the southern part of the state.

Mrs. W. S. Roble, has been confined to her home for several days due to illness.

A. Norris, postmaster, and Mary Jane Hinkley, of Alvarado, visited in San Francisco Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. August May are having their home in Vallejo st. redecorated.

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Dated March 30, 1932.

MORE ON NILES CHAMBER
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J. J. Alberg was chosen committee chairman to arrange for next week's gathering.

Ladies Aid Holds Meet In San Jose

The Alvarado Ladies Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. Curry, in San Jose, last Thursday. A delicious luncheon was served at one o'clock, by the hostess, Mrs. Curry, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. F. C. Harvey, and Mrs. T. P. Harvey, both of Alvarado. During the afternoon, the guests enjoyed visiting the Thayer Garden, which is opposite Mrs. Curry's home. The members present also worked on a quilt.

In keeping with the season, Mrs. Curry's home was beautifully decorated with early spring flowers. Members of the society present were: Mrs. A. May, president, Mrs. M. P. Munger, vice-president, Mrs. J. P. Boyd, secretary, Mrs. F. P. Langdon, treasurer, Mrs. Jas. Hunter, Mrs. F. Wiegman, Mrs. O. J. Emery, Mrs. A. K. Logan, Mrs. John Logan, Mrs. James Logan, Mrs. E. A. Richmond, Mrs. C. W. Baird, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. L. Bain, Mrs. Walter Ziegler, Mrs. F. C. Harvey, Miss Charlotte Jung, and Miss Mildred Nauert. Visitors present were Mrs. T. P. Harvey and Mrs. A. Forbes.

Alvarado School To Hold Visiting Day

Visiting day will be held at the Alvarado grammar school Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Orelli is in charge of the program. The skit deals with a kind deed theme. The cast is composed of children from the 5th and 6th grades. Those taking leading parts are Olivia Nieto, John Accinil and John Machado.

CONFINED TO HOME

Mrs. Earle Hellwig has been confined to the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Brown, of San Leandro, due to illness.

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SUIT AGAINST SAN FRANCISCO BEGINS

The suit of Mrs. H. F. Bracker, against the City of San Francisco to collect damages because of the flooding of a large section of her ranch by water from the Hetch Hetchy tunnel is under way this week. The flooded area is approximately twenty acres and will be a total loss in crop production this year.

Sierra City—Old Biglow quartz mine here to be reopened.

Delegates From Pleasanton at Berkeley Meet

Native Daughters Hold District Meeting Sunday Afternoon

A large delegation from the Pleasanton Native Daughters attended a district meeting held at Berkeley last Sunday. All the courts in district four were represented.

The courts which make up the district are Newman, Vallejo, Golden Gate, Twin Peaks, of San Francisco, the San Francisco court, Hayward, Alameda, St. Francis, of Oakland, Berkeley, and Pleasanton.

Mrs. Zeida Hayden, of Santa Barbara, State Regent, was among prominent guests present. This was the first time in a number of years that Mrs. Hayden has attended a meeting in this district. Other distinguished guests were Mrs. Lillienthal, of Oakland, State Vice Regent, Mrs. Eleanor Kearns, of Berkeley, Grand Secretary, and district deputy for the Pleasanton parlor.

Those who attended from Pleasanton were Mrs. Angie Paulo, Mrs. Emily Amaro, Mrs. Mary Willis, Mrs. Elvira Silva, Mrs. Con Nevin, Mrs. Theresa Cronin, Miss Eva Flanagan, and Miss Kate Tehan.

Pleasanton Farm Home Women Make Drapes

Making draperies and curtains was the project for the Pleasanton Farm Home Department meeting held at the Odd Fellows hall last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Marietta Holman, of Hayward, was present. A food sale was held following the business meeting.

Van Nuys—Work on construction of \$3,500,000 city reservoir in Bouquet Canyon to start soon, according to H. Aan Norman.

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Sunnyvale—Navy Department awarded contracts totaling \$310,500 for new buildings at aircraft base here.

Mare Island—R. W. Kaltenbach \$156,000 contract for construction floating derrick here, and derrick at San Diego destroyer base.

NILES SCHOOL WILL HAVE PROGRAM TUESDAY

In observation of Public School Week, a program will be presented by the Niles grammar school pupils Tuesday evening, April 27, in the school auditorium beginning at eight o'clock. On the program is a Mother Goose play to be presented by the primary grade children.

All during next week, from April 25 to 29, the school will be open to visitors and exhibits of classroom work from every grade will be on display for the public. The purpose of this week is to bring the public into closer touch with the schools and give them an opportunity to observe what the schools are doing. A hearty invitation for principals, teachers, parents and friends to attend has been extended.

Special programs also are being held in all the other elementary schools in Washington township during next week.

HANSEN LUMBER COMPANY MAKES GIFT TO CHURCH

"What 'waterless cleanser' will do to a grease-spotted kitchen drainboard is little short of miraculous," said Mrs. George Rose after using some of the can of this cleaning paste donated to the Niles Congregational church Ladies' Aid recently. The Men's Club had just been served one of those famous dinners upon which this group of women have built a county-wide reputation and the kitchen was in the same condition all well regulated kitchens are in following preparation of a big banquet.

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Father of Pleasanton Folk Dies in Dakota

Word was received in Pleasanton of the death of J. L. Hammond, of South Dakota, father of Mrs. Ledia Borsberry and Charles Hammond, of Pleasanton, recently.

Hammond died suddenly one day last week. Funeral services were conducted last Monday afternoon.

He was the grandfather of Max Borsberry. Hammond has another son, Charles, living in Modesto.

MORE ON PROSPERITY

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building will accommodate four business establishments when it is completed.

The American garage has started construction of what will be an up to date shop for car greasing and washing. It will be fully equipped with all the latest devices for greasing and washing cars and the best possible service in this line will be added to the American garage's present service to the public.

The building is being constructed of corrugated steel. The construction work is in charge of Manuel Leal.

The other building in the process of construction is at the southern highway entrance to Niles and next to the service station now operated by the Solon brothers. The building will be a twenty-four by forty structure and will house a modern auto repair shop to be operated by C. B. Crane. The shop will be fitted to perform all types of automobile repair work. Crane was formerly shop foreman of the Rose garage in Niles.

Sacramento—Bids called recently on state highway work involving expenditure of \$1,750,000.

Warm Springs

By IRMA LEAL

Warm Springs Club Is Making Quilt

The Girls' Athletic Club of the Warm Springs grammar school has been making a cross-patch quilt to be sold to raise funds for the school treasury.

BABY BORN

April 17 a baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Alvino Vargas. He will be named Theodore.

WARM SPRINGS PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Brown of Oakland and Mrs. Mello, of San Francisco, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Maciel.

Mrs. Solas, of Warm Springs, motored to Sacramento Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Avila, of Sacramento, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Gomes, Mrs. Avila's mother.

Della Rose, of San Jose, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Estaciv.

Olive Higgins, of San Francisco, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Andrade, of Decoto, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Duarte and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Goularte and family visited cousins in Palo Alto Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vargas, Jr., and family attended a dance at Decoto Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Vargas and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Vargas, of Pleasanton.

Mrs. Frank Enos and son, Richard, of Wayne, spent Monday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Laurence.

Mr. and Mrs. Caton Laurence and daughter, Alice, visited with Mr. and Mrs. M. Silva, of San Leandro recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Leal and family motored to Modesto Sunday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bispo. Mrs. Leal and Mrs. Bispo are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Laurence, of San Jose, spent Saturday visiting friends in Warm Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Laurence and son, Ernest, motored to San Jose Saturday.

Edwin Sarmiento, John Smith and Sarah Escobar, accompanied by Clarice Silva, of Sunol, motored to the Livermore hills Tuesday.

Anthony Brown has just returned from a two weeks' vacation in the Livermore hills.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith were visitors at the home of J. C. Laurence, of Warm Springs, Sunday.

Pleasanton Race Horses Win at Tanforan Track

Several Pleasanton race horses have won first and second places in the races at Tanforan during the past two weeks.

A horse belonging to Mrs. Marie Hellins, trained at the Pleasanton track, took a first place at the races recently.

Horses belonging to Major Sven Christiansen have won four races during the past week. Another racer, belonging to T. Horney, of Pleasanton, won second place in a race last Tuesday. Horses belonging to John McCullough, of Pleasanton, won second place in two races held recently.

The list of race horse owners of Pleasanton who took horses to the Tanforan track are as follows:

Christiansen, ten horses; Hartwell, nine; Charles Boot, ten; J. Glazebrook, five; Mrs. Marguerite Shea, four; Van Hoover, six; Freddie Stevensen, four; A. Cooke, two; B. Sharkey, fifteen; Bert Webster, sixteen; Mrs. Hellins, four; D. Mills, five.

Surprise Party Is Held At Leal Home

A group of friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Leal and family on Wednesday. Among them were Mrs. Mae Silva and family, Lester, Elsie and Clarice; Miss Eleanore Brown, Lillian and John Avila, and Bill Peters, of Sunol; Bill Maciel, Jack Arnold and Herman Scofield.

RETURNS TO HOSPITAL

Mrs. Mary Marks, who has been convalescing at the home of her father, A. Oliver, has returned to the San Jose hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Carvalho, of San Leandro, spent Monday at the home of friends and relatives in Warm Springs.

John Smith and Sarah Escobar attended a party in Alvarado Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown, of Los Angeles, spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Caton Laurence, from where they motored to San Francisco.

NILES LIBRARY GETS NEW LIST OF BOOKS

Following is a list of new books received at the Niles library and which are now available for use by the public:

Westward Passage by Barnes; Edison, The Man and His Work by Bryan; Basque People by Canfield; Abraham Lincoln by Charnwood; Man and Machines by Chase; Storm Drift by Dell; Unfinished Business by Erskine; Man Could Stand Up by Ford; Dark Journey by Green; To the Last Man by Grey; Vanishing American by Grey; Dark Secret by Hillyer; Green Jade Hand by Keeler; Song of Hiawatha by Longfellow; Magic Mountain by Mann; Butterfly Land by Olfere. Mr. Billingham, the Marquis and Madelon by Oppenheim; Gay Madelon by Oppenheim; Eagle's Gift by Rassmussen; Lone Wolf's Son by Vance; Joan Jordan's Job by Warde; Swimming the American Crawl by Weissmuller.

Los Angeles—Contracts totaling \$7,200 for construction of 12-unit cafeteria addition at Roosevelt high school awarded recently.

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BIRTHDAY FETE

Eugene Broyles entertained a number of his friends Saturday, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Broyles, on the occasion of his thirteenth birthday. Games were played and delicious refreshments were served.

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Peanut Butter

Maximum Brand, 2 lb. Jar **25c**

Peaches

Highway halves, No. 2 1/2 Can **11c**

Grapefruit

Heart of Florida, 2 Cans **25c**

Fruit Salad

Del Monte Brand, No. 1, Size, Can **15c**

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Sperry's Family Blend

10 lb. Bag **29c**

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Bacon

Eastern Sugar Cured, lb. **18c**

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(The Township Register is anxious to be of real service to its subscribers in Centerville. We shall be glad to publish all announcements, reports, etc., sent in to us or given to our representatives.)

April 22—Centerville Athletic Club, Town Hall, 8 p. m.
 April 25—Victory Circle, Anderson's Hall, 8 p. m.
 April 25—Centerville Fire Department Meet, Fire House, 7 p. m.
 April 26—Native Sons, Hansen's Hall, 8 p. m.
 April 28—Knights of Pythias, Hansen's Hall, 8 p. m.
 April 28—Knights of Columbus, Parish Hall, 8 p. m.
 May 2—Druids.
 May 5—Country Club, Club House.
 May 6—Betsy Ross, N. D. G. W., Anderson's Hall, 8 p. m.
 May 14—Masons, Masonic Hall, 8 p. m.

HAYWARD WOMAN IS BURGLARS LOOT SPEAKER AT WELFARE CENTERVILLE RESIDENCE

Welfare Club No. 1 met with Mrs. P. A. Ellis, of Niles, on Monday with a good attendance. Several new garments were completed. Mrs. Randall, of the Hayward office, was present and gave an interesting talk on the work being done in providing children with boarding homes answering to their specific needs.

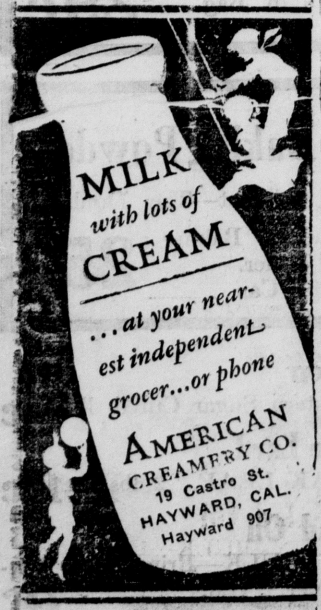
SALVATION ARMY START DRIVE IN PLEASANTON

The Salvation Army will conduct its annual appeal for funds for the benefit of its rescue home, at Oakland, and its orphanage, at Lyon, in Pleasanton and the surrounding district this week, according to Envoy Antone Peterson, of San Francisco.

This campaign is held annually in order to secure funds to aid the helpless children. The business and residential districts will be canvassed, Peterson stated. He also went on to say that the support of that community will be greatly appreciated.

From Alameda county there are seventy-two girls in the rescue home and thirty-seven children in the orphanage.

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TEACHERS' GROUP ELECT OFFICERS AT MEET

The Southern Alameda County Principal's Association held their monthly meeting in Centerville Monday night at the Gregory Hotel with twenty-seven members present. Matters concerning school problems was the topic of discussion, and election of officers for the coming year was held.

Knights of Pythias Elect Delegates

The Centerville parlor of the Native Sons elected J. D. Norris and Tom Silva as delegates to the Grand Parlor to be held in Stockton, May 16. Allen G. Norris and M. P. Mathiesen were chosen as alternates.

Rojas Case Continued In Centerville Court

After a partial hearing in the Centerville justice court last Tuesday afternoon, the case of Cliff Rojas, of Alvarado, on charges of assault with a deadly weapon was continued until a future date.

TO PRESENT PLAY

The dramatic section of the Country Club is working on a comedy play, the "Flying Grandmother," which will be presented in the near future.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Principal A. J. Rathbone visited the Manteca and Tracy high schools Tuesday.

Members of the junior class are busily preparing for the annual junior prom to be held Friday evening in the high school gymnasium.

Miss Beatrice, Jess Cave and Mr. and Mrs. F. Brown attended the Stanford University of California track meet at Berkeley Saturday.

On Wednesday, April 27, a general program will be held in the high school auditorium in observation of Educational Week. The chief speaker will be P. M. Fisher, a member of the county board of education.

Members of the high school Camp Fire Girls' group enjoyed a hike Saturday up Niles Canyon under the direction of Miss Iva Liston, of the high school faculty.

The high school debate team lost a decision to Hayward high school last Tuesday afternoon. The judges voted 2 to 1 in favor of Hayward. Mildred Durham and Frank Dusterberry, Jr., were the Washington debaters.

The high school alumni association held their annual meeting last Wednesday night, with a total of seven persons present. An entertaining evening was enjoyed. The group unanimously passed a motion endorsing the swimming pool drive now taking place.

ST. JAMES GUILD
St. James Guild will meet Wednesday, April 27. A basket luncheon will be served, and a beautiful quilt made by Mrs. D. Reynolds will be quilted. The ladies hope to begin at 11 a. m.

OUTING
The Ladies' Aid held their outing this week at the Mr. and Mrs. J. Overacker home. An enjoyable time was reported.

Monrovia—Bids to be called for soon for construction of San Gabriel high line road, estimated to cost \$1,300,000.

LIVERMORE FALLS BEFORE WASHINGTON BATTLING BARRAGE

Cornhuskers Collect 18 Safeties in 15 to 4 Victory

It's the same old story! The count 15 to 4 tells the tale of another massacre by Coach Jess Regli's Washington Union high school crew of diamond athletes, the said slaughter taking place at Livermore Friday afternoon with the Cowboys as the victims.

Rather than Cornhuskers, the term Centerville "Sluggers" or "Bludgeoners" would be a more fitting epithet to hang on the boys who hail from Washington high school, at least as far as the diamond pastime is concerned. Welding their willows with accustomed deadly effectiveness, the Washington tossers deluged the Livermore fielders with a rain of eighteen safe blows in Friday's contest. Plenty of exercise is one thing which the Washington boys seem to be willing to provide for all opposition fielders.

Faria took his turn again at scintillating with the stick Friday when he slammed out three doubles and a single in six trips to the plate. Ikeda, Washington backstop, collected a three-bagger and two bingles in four attempts, while Roderick and Nakagowara both connected safely three out of five. One of Nakagowara's blows was good for a four-base jaunt.

Five lonely safeties were all the Cowboys were able to master off the deliveries of Kitashima and Wilson. Ketashima who started on the mound was hit over the heart by a batted ball in the third inning, necessitating his removal from the game. Wilson allowed only three hits during the remainder of the contest.

Washington opened the first frame by chalking up two count-ers. Sekigahama walked, was advanced to third on a single by Faria, and scored on Fontes' two-bagger. Nakagowara laced out a single to tally Faria.

The merry-go-round for the Cornhuskers began in the second canto when seven Washington men speeded across the home plate. Ikeda singled, Roderick singled, Wilson sacrificed, and Sekigahama brought both men in with a bingle. Sekigahama pilfered second and crossed the plate when Faria rifled out a two-sacker. Rose hit safely to score Faria, stole second and reached third on a wild pitch. Nakagowara lifted one that was good for three bags, Maderios was passed to first, Ikeda belted out his second hit of the inning and Roderick also followed with his second safe blow in the same canto.

Livermore counted three runs in the second on two hits and three walks.

Washington increased their total by one in the fourth when Nakagowara enacted a Babe Ruth stunt.

Roderick scurried across the home platter for Washington in the fifth. He drove out a two-

Grand Matron Visits At Centerville Lodge

Orient Chapter No. 177, Order of the Eastern Star held their regular meeting in the Masonic Hall in Centerville, Wednesday evening, April 13th, and received the deputy grand matron of this district, Mrs. Luella Thompson, of Elmhurst. Mrs. J. V. Gould, of Centerville, worthy matron of Orient Chapter, presided. After the business meeting, the members adjourned to the banquet room and refreshments were served by the members of the refreshment committee, who were: Mrs. E. A. Richmond, chairman; Mrs. J. P. Boyd, and Mrs. James Hunter, all of Alvarado.

Lakeport—\$10,000 worth of new equipment installed at Clear Lake cremeries.

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CENTERVILLE NINE LOSES GAME TO BERKELEY

The Centerville Knights of Columbus held an Easter communion Sunday, after which breakfast was served at Parish Hall. Evans Scott, district attorney of San Mateo county, was the chief speaker at the affair.

After the breakfast the Centerville Knights of Columbus lost a baseball game to a Berkeley nine by the score of 10 to 9. The contest was played on the Wash-

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ington Union high school diamond. Centerville led by an 8 to 9 count until the ninth when two errors paved the way for a Berkeley victory. Ernest Penetel performed on the mound for Centerville, while Brown received.

Jack Nunes, of Centerville, was a visitor in San Jose Monday.

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Tickets On Sale For Benefit Recital

Tickets are on sale for the recital to be given by the piano and dancing pupils of The Williamson School at the Veterans' Memorial Hall at Niles, Saturday evening, May 21, for the benefit of the Children's Hospital of Alameda County.

Mrs. Wallace Wheaton Briggs, cellist artist who recently received an enthusiastic ovation at "Carmen" at the high school, will assist the dancing classes in their presentation of "International Idea." From fifteen to twenty dancing acts will be given.

Preceding the dances will be a piano recital of pupils of The Williamson School under the direction of Mrs. Claire Holmes, of Mills College. Members of Toyon Branch of the Children's Hospital will act as patronesses of the dance to follow the program.

All those who are interested in any of the departments of the school are cordially invited to attend the program on May 21.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS EXPRESS ENTHUSIASM AS POOL DRIVE BEGINS

Rally Gathering Held In High School Gym Monday Night

Displaying a determined and enthusiastic spirit which promises to let no obstacle interfere with the success of their objective, members of the Washington township swimming drive committee held their big campaign "kickoff" meeting in the Washington Union high school gymnasium at Centerville Monday night.

Adult, teacher, and junior committeemen all were present to be imbued with enthusiasm and receive final directions for the sweeping township drive expected to realize the sum of \$7500 which will assure the construction of a township swimming pool at the high school. Every prospect in the township will be approached in the ten days the campaign will be in progress.

Responding to brief, stirring addresses and "pep" songs and yells led by high school yell leaders, an air of confident optimism regarding the success of the campaign prevailed over the gathering Monday night. Judging from the sentiment members of the committees will do all within their power to make the swimming pool a reality so that by June everyone can be "all wet," as Mrs. J. R. Whipple expressed it.

Robert Stratton, campaign director and member of the firm of Harry R. Bogart, of San Francisco, employed by the Centerville Lions Club to take charge of the campaign, explained to those present how the drive will be conducted, and laid down several rules he felt would assure success for the salesmen. In brief these were: Cover the ground thoroughly, see every prospect in

person and do not write or use the telephone, and be sold on the project before you attempt to sell others. Stratton also called on all the salesmen to make their own subscription at once.

The ways the public may subscribe to the fund are as follows: Through straight donations which may be paid in cash or in installments over a period of three months, by purchasing script in \$2.50, \$5.00 or \$10.00 lots. Script also may be pledged, payable within three months.

To make the matter clear to those confused there absolutely will be no additional charge for swimming privileges after script has been purchased, thus assuring those purchasing script during this campaign a large saving over what they will have to pay for a swim when the pool is completed.

A stirring address calling for enthusiasm on the part of the salesmen was delivered by F. V. Jones. He also stressed the necessity for the campaign workers heartily believing in the pool project as well as making their prospects believe in it.

Mrs. J. R. Whipple spoke briefly, pointing out the important part the women of the township had played in previous drives to obtain assets to the community, among them being the high school buildings.

Mrs. J. E. Thane gave some reminiscences of early days in the township and the successes in carrying through certain projects in spite of the apparent adverse conditions. She sounded a keynote of success for the present campaign.

A. J. Rathbone, high school principal, presided over the gathering. He traced the history of the movement for the pool and stressed its advantages.

Stratton announced that reports of the campaign progress will be turned in every other night in the gymnasium during the ten days it is in progress. The first report was turned in Wednesday (last night) and the next will be Friday night and so on until the end of the campaign.

Death Overcomes Pleasanton Man While Sleeping

William Jewett Buried in Odd Fellows' Cemetery by Rev. R. C. Cross

William Jewett, of Pleasanton, was found dead in bed last Friday morning by Dr. Hal Cope, of Pleasanton.

Jewett has been gardner for Dr. Cope for the past thirteen years. According to Dr. Cope, Jewett had been suffering from heart trouble for the past year. He was sixty-seven years of age.

Jewett was a man with a pleasing personality and was well liked by those who knew him. He had been a bachelor all his life.

Services were held from the Graham Mortuary last Tuesday afternoon. They were conducted by Rev. R. Cross, Pleasanton. After the services, interment was held at the Odd Fellows' cemetery.

He leaves to mourn his passing a sister, of New York City, and a brother, of Tampa, Florida.

PLEASANTON MAN GATHERS WITH PRINCIPALS

V. Bernard Johnson, principal of the Pleasanton grammar school, attended a conference for all principals of elementary schools in the San Francisco and bay region held in Oakland recently. The purpose of the meeting was to study the urgent problems relative to the responsibilities and interests of these two groups engaged in the promotion of elementary education.

The meeting was called by the state department of education.

School Pupils Write Better Home Essays

By JACK FEDRICK

(Editor's Note: Following is the first of a series of compositions written by pupils of the Niles grammar school on the subject of "Better Homes." Other compositions will be published in these columns during the next few weeks. Better Homes week this year will be from April 24 to May 1, and Mrs. Roland Bendel, of Decoto, has been appointed chairman of the Better Homes committee for Washington Township).

Better Homes in America

We should have Better Home Week because it helps to remind us of our duty in our com-

munity. Some people think if you don't live in a beautiful house you can not have a home, but as the old saying goes, "no matter how humble your house is, it can be a home." We should not only have pretty homes, but attractive and colorful yards.

If somebody next door sees how nice your yard looks it may be an incentive to improve the value of his property. Thus the desire for better homes and better yards will spread throughout the neighborhood. Keep your homes and yards attractive so other people will do likewise. Keeping the home and yard neat should be a pleasure instead of work.

Ernest W. Schween Elected Clerk of Pleasanton Board

Amaral, Moyer and Cope Receive Votes for Councilman

Ernest Schween, of Pleasanton, was elected clerk of the Town of Pleasanton as a result of the municipal election last Monday, closing one of the quietest political campaigns ever held in Pleasanton.

Schween defeated Crawford Letham, the incumbent, who has served as clerk for twelve years, by forty-one votes.

There were 550 citizens of this city eligible to vote in the election. Of that number, 462 cast votes last week. In 1931 there were only 393 votes cast, showing an increase of sixty-nine votes in this election.

Mrs. Edith Ziegenfuss and Miss Mary Ellen Steane were the clerks of the election board. Mrs. Katherine Port served as inspector; and Mrs. Carolyn Ward, as judge. All are Pleasanton women.

Ernest Schween was sworn into office by the outgoing clerk at a meeting of the town council Monday. The new clerk then called the meeting to order and took up business for the beginning of the new year.

Under the provisions of the state law, the council must meet on the Monday following the election for the purpose of canvassing the vote and announcing the election. The old board will then transact any unfinished business and adjourn sine die.

The list of votes cast for each candidate is as follows:

FOR TRUSTEE	
Thomas Orloff	308
R. W. Apperson	301
Peter Madsen	281
John J. Amaral	10
R. O. Moyer	1
J. Hal Cope	1
FOR CLERK	
E. W. Schween	246
C. Letham	205
FOR TREASURER	
T. H. Silver	313

Pleasanton Junior Chamber Commerce Works on Booklet

Pamphlet To Contain all Activities of Town

Plans for the publishing of pamphlets containing full information of the business houses, industries, churches, social organizations and playgrounds of the city of Pleasanton occupied the Junior Chamber of Commerce at a meeting held recently, according to Andy Greve, of Pleasanton, president.

Several months ago every member of the Junior Chamber was given a definite topic to work on. The purpose of publishing this pamphlet is to give the citizens of this community as well as the strangers coming into the city a full information regarding the business, industries, and social activities in the city.

Pictures of the schools, churches, dairies, factories, and business houses will be shown in the pamphlet. The pamphlet, when completed, will give full information and illustrations of any line of business or social entertainment a stranger coming into the city would ask about.

One of the important sections in the book will point out many interesting facts about the history of the Pleasanton race track and its future possibilities. This section was written by Bob Cope. Cope spent many days interviewing prominent horsemen in order to secure his valuable information.

It was stated by President Greve that the Pleasanton pamphlet will be published in a few weeks.

John J. Amaral and Sam Glassey were appointed to represent the Pleasanton Junior Chamber of Commerce at a state junior chamber of commerce convention to be held in Berkeley May 21 and 22.

Los Angeles—Constructive work started on Southern California Edison building on Atlantic boulevard, East Los Angeles.

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ALISAL IMPROVEMENT CLUB MEETS AT HOME OF PLEASANTON FOLK

Mrs. William Mortensen Was Hostess of Evening Meeting

The Alisal Improvement Club held its regular business meeting

at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Andresen, Pleasanton, recently. A large number of members was present. They were entertained at cards after the business session.

Mrs. William Mortensen, of Pleasanton, was hostess. Those winning honors in cards were Sam Keating and Mrs. G. T. Fleming.

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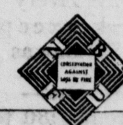
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School Man Writes Letter of Resignation

Following is Mr. Kimber's resignation addressed to M. J. Overacker, president of the Board of Trustees, Washington Union High School:

Niles, Calif., April 13, 1932.
Mr. M. J. Overacker,
Pres., Board of Trustees,
Washington Union High School,
Centerville, Calif.

Dear Mr. Overacker:
Permit me herewith to present to you my resignation from the faculty of the Washington Union High School, to take effect at the close of the 1931-32 school year.

I hope that my successor may be the best possible teacher and musician that is available at a time when hundreds of outstanding musicians of great ability are almost begging for food.

During the past five years I have put into the work my utmost efforts and ability, and my only regret is that my work could not have been more effective. I feel that great progress has been made in equipping our high and elementary schools with more than six thousand dollars worth of musical instruments, and in developing an appreciation of good music among our students.

I hope also that economic or political pressure will not blind the members of the board to the fact that good music will always be one of the really fine things

of life. To remove music from the curriculum, or to hamper its functioning, at a time when unemployment, social unrest, and crime are so rampant would, I believe, be both unjustified and unwise. The cost of training instrumental music students in Washington Union High School with a full-time instructor is less than three dollars a month per student for daily instruction, for which equivalent training cannot possibly be given our children outside of the public school system. Considering the social and inspirational value of good music to all our people, for the poor even more than to the rich, and the increasing necessity of training for the worthy use of leisure time, which was particularly emphasized at the last California High School Principals' Convention, I do not believe that the people of this district can afford to have training in music withheld from their children.

As a taxpayer in this district I shall always cheerfully endorse any reasonable expenditure to further the cause of education in Washington Township, and I shall stand squarely behind those who are not afraid to give our boys and girls the educational opportunities which are the greatest safeguard of America's future.

(Signed)
JOHN E. KIMBER.

Mission San Jose

By EVA ROGERS

MARRIAGE HELD FOR POPULAR MISSION COUPLE

Sunday, April 17, at two o'clock at St. Joseph's church was the setting for the marriage of Marie Escobar and William Souza. The ceremony was performed by Rev. John Leal.

The bride's gown was of white silk and her tulle veil was held in place with orange blossoms. She carried a large bouquet of white roses.

Miss Escobar was attended by her sister, Loraine Escobar, whose gown was a green silk with a large white hat to complete the costume. She carried a bouquet of pink roses.

Attending Mr. Souza was his brother, Ralph Souza.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Escobar, of Centerville, and a graduate of Washington Union high school, and O'Connors Hospital in San Jose. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Souza, well known residents of Mission San Jose.

The wedding march was sung by Mrs. Balgly who was accompanied by Oliver Campos.

Joint Birthday Fete Held at Witherly Ranch

A joint birthday party was held Sunday at Witherly's ranch in honor of Gladys Goffigan, Dexter Witherly and Walter Foehr.

The main diversions of the day were swimming, dancing and picnicking.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. George Foehr and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Foehr, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Goffigan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Goffigan, Harry Chamberland, Orin Arms, Mr. and Mrs. Creig and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jensen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Dutra and family, Bob Wright, Elmer Stinehelver, and Mrs. C. Witherly and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Nottle and their daughter, Pearl, of San Jose, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. Rogers Sunday.

M. Rogers, Floyd Kelly and Barbara Rogers motored to San Jose Monday.

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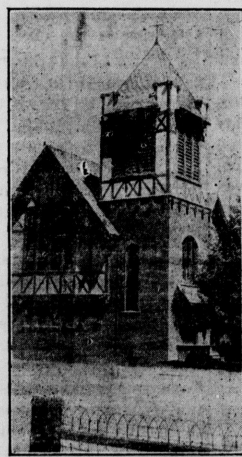
Santa Rita Boys Give Party for Young People

Dancing Provides Evening's Entertainment for Large Crowd

A number of young Pleasanton folk were entertained at a dancing party given by Ed and Melvin Nielsen at their home in Santa Rita recently. The guests spent the evening dancing. A four-piece orchestra furnished the music. Late in the evening refreshments were served.

Among those who were at the party were Miss Alice Kent, of Oakland, Leeta Haas, Doris Grana, Joy and Melva Madsen, Lorna Blacow, Dorothy Nielsen, Enrica Adams, Julia and Henrietta Woods, Grace Reimers, Ellen Hamer, Olive Tripp, Ellmae Maurice, Jean Trimmingham, Dorothy Bairos, Mrs. R. F. Blacow, Mrs. Nielson, all of Pleasanton.

The young men present were L. Brady and Frank Male, of Livermore, Harry Hamer, Kelly Lee, Myron Azevedo, Stanley and Russel Anderson, Ed and John



NILES CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

E. G. Brinkmeyer, Minister.
Sunday School at 10 o'clock
Morning Worship at 11 o'clock

Los Angeles—Building permits issued here during March totaled \$3,464,480.

Dolstra, Ed Nott, Chris Hanifen, Bill Gibson, Lincoln Madsen, Ed Vervais, Bill Cole, Bruce Powers, and Ed and Melvin Nielson, all of Pleasanton.

CHIC SALE SLATED SUNDAY, MONDAY HAYWARD SHOW

The feature for the Hayward theater, Friday and Saturday nights, April 22 and 23, is Walter Huston in "The Beast of the City" with Jean Harlow.

The funmaker, Charles "Chic" Sale, is starred in "The Expert" on Sunday and Monday nights, April 24 and 25. Ubangi also is on the program. For Tuesday, April 26, Dorothy Mackaill in "Safe in Hell" is the attraction. Tuesday is China night.

A big bill is offered for Wednesday and Thursday nights, April 27 and 28, when Buster Keaton appears in "The Passionate Plumber" with Jimmie Durante. The official picture of the American Legion, "The Legion on Parade," also will be shown.

NEW EQUIPMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Swainson attended the beauty show in San Francisco Monday and Tuesday evening and purchased some new equipment, including the latest Uita Violet Ray for re-vitalizing the hair. Mrs. Swainson was one of the models demonstrating "The New Evening Glow Hair Dress." Miss Miller, formerly of a San Francisco hair dressing firm, will be added to the staff of Swainson's Beauty Salon. Each member will specialize in their special work.

Pleasanton Nine Defeat Hayward by 8 to 3 Score

Faria and Schultz Take Honors of Game

The Pleasanton Merchants defeated the Hayward Lumber Mill nine in a game played at the Pleasanton diamond recently by a score of eight to three.

The game was exciting, furnishing many thrills for the spectators. Ernest Faria was the star hitter of the day, scoring two doubles. Schultz pitched the entire game for the Merchants. He allowed the Hayward boys to score three runs on eight hits. Pleasanton got eight runs on eleven hits.

The lineup for the Merchants was as follows: Schutz, pitcher; Ernest Faria, first base; Rogers, catcher; Brenner, second base; W. Garcia, short stop; F. Viada, third base; Paulo, left field; A. Faria, center field; Gomes, right field.

Wilmington—Cogo and Rados received \$43,690 contract for construction of Section 3 of San Pedro intercepting sewer.

Personal Items

Mrs. G. S. Hudson has been visiting in Palm Springs.

Mrs. Rosalie Donovan visited two days of this week in San Jose.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thane and Mrs. J. R. Whipple visited with the Frank Hudarts in Woodside over the week-end.

Friends in Niles have received word from Mrs. Belle Abernathy, a former Niles resident. She plans making her home in San Mateo.

Dr. and Mrs. Abbott Satherwaite, of San Jose, visited friends in Niles this week-end. Dr. Satherwaite was formerly an electrician at Centerville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Peterson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Antone visited friends in Oakland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mette, John Gronley and Frank Ferry spent the week-end at Paradise Park working on Mette's cabin.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Smithers and family, of Ripon, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth.

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E. L. Yarbrough attended the races at the Oakland speedway Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Butterfield and family spent Sunday visiting with Butterfield's brother and family in Alameda.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Johnson were in Berkeley Sunday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Knutson, of Pleasanton, and Pete Kallas, of Pittsburg, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ferry Sunday.

Miss Peggy Wales, of Berkeley, was a guest of Miss Adelaide Martin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Broyles were Oakland visitors Monday.

Mrs. Ida Manning and son, of Oakland, spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mrs. Carrie Martin.

Harry Kloe spent Sunday in San Francisco.

Miss Edna Wellington was a visitor at the Oakland airport Sunday. She also attended the auto races at the Oakland speedway Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. William V. Eberly has returned after spending a few days of last week visiting her mother in San Francisco.

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WELFARE BOARD HAS MEETING IN PLEASANTON

The Southern Alameda County Welfare Board held its regular business meeting at the Women's Pleasanton City Hall two weeks ago.

Ernest Schween and Mrs. Claude Smallwood were the representatives from Pleasanton. Regular routine business of the welfare board was discussed.

Those attending the meeting were F. V. Jones, of Niles, president; Lulu Stephens, of Hayward, secretary; Judge Harder, J. Barr and Mrs. Edith Rogers, all of Hayward; F. Dusterberry, of Centerville; and Dr. Paul Dolan, of Livermore.

Templeton—Construction of a about eight miles power distribution line to serve residents of Willow Creek area, to cost about \$15,288, started recently.

Hanford—Preliminary plans for additions to county hospital under consideration.

CAST OF SENIOR PLAY CHOSEN AT AMADOR BY DIRECTOR R. O. MOYER

"Believe It or Not" Is Title
of Three Act
Comedy

"Believe It or Not" is the play to be presented by the senior class of the Amador Valley high school in the latter part of May, according to R. O. Moyer, of Pleasanton, director.

The play is a three act comedy and promises to be very entertaining.

Principal parts in the play were given out last week after much discussion. Those given parts were Josie Bottini, Blaire Logue, Enrica Adami, Hazel Garatti, Eleanor Hansen, Grace Reimers, Mildred Enos, Thomas George, Frank Marino, Bill Gibson, Joe Miller, Tom Nerton, and Francis Bottini, all of Pleasanton.

Bieber—Improvement of Redding-Bieber-Alturas State Highway will be extended from Fall River Mills to Burney, at estimated cost of more than \$850,000.

Newcastle—Construction of post office building progressing.

SUNOL

-DEPARTMENT-

Sunol School Boy Suffers Broken Leg

Alvin Mendoza sustained a fractured left collarbone at the Sunol grammar school Friday afternoon when some of his schoolmates fell on him while the children were rehearsing for a school play. The broken limb was set by Dr. E. C. Grau at Niles, and the boy is reported to be getting along nicely.

BRIDGE CLUB

The Junior Bridge Club, of Sunol was entertained by Mrs. Wanh at her home in Centerville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Henderson, of Oakland, visited friends at Sunol Sunday.

PARENT TEACHER UNIT AT SUNOL PROGRESSES

Mrs. L. P. McMillen and Mrs. H. A. Johnson represented the Sunol Parent-Teachers' Association at the Sixteenth District convention held in Pittsburg Monday. Since its organization the Sunol unit has made considerable progress under the leadership of Mrs. Johnson. During the first year she was in charge, the group was raised to standard class and during the second year it has reached superior rating.

Of all the unit members of the Sixteenth district, Sunol is the only rural community which has received this honor. The others are Oakland unit's. Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. McMillen also attended the council held last Thursday in Centerville.

ENJOY PICNIC

Mr. Albert and family spent several days at their cottage in Kilcare Woods. A number of their friends from San Francisco enjoyed a picnic there Sunday.

RECUPERATING

George Johnson, of San Francisco, is recuperating from a recent operation.

ATTEND MEET

Mrs. H. A. Johnson and Mrs. McMillen attended the Sixteenth district of the Parent-Teachers' Association meeting at Pittsburg on Monday.

BARBECUE HELD

Joe Leal started the branding season with a barbecue on Saturday, which was very well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lowrie, of San Jose, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Woodward.

Mrs. J. H. Rankin and Mrs. Frank Kissinger motored to San Francisco on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Greene, who have been living in Tracy, were callers in Sunol Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Kissinger, of Pleasanton, were callers in Sunol on Sunday.

Mrs. C. A. Givens and Mrs. R. Bollock attended a bridge luncheon at Capertina during the past week.

The Sunol Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. W. Anderson Tuesday.

D. L. Sullivan and family, of Hayward, spent the week-end at their ranch in Sunol.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lee have moved to Sunol to stay. Sunol welcomes them back.

John Trimmingham and Earl Trimmingham motored to San Mateo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Dennison and daughter visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wicking Sunday.

Mrs. D. J. Hurley and daughter, Muriel, made a shopping tour to San Jose Saturday.

Mrs. I. Tedyard is spending the week-end with friends in Berkeley.

Mrs. H. Wicking entertained at a bridge luncheon Thursday. There were twenty guests present.

Harold Hogan, of Oakland, visited friends in Sunol Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Moore, of Niles, visited Miss Buttner Sunday.

National City — Parker store opened.

Desert Center—Basich Bros. Torrence, received \$528,678 contract for highway construction between Shaver's Summit and this place.

PLEASANTON LADY COMES IN SECOND IN QUILT CONTEST

Mrs. C. A. Bruce Gets Prize
in Livermore
Display

A quilt belonging to Mrs. C. A. Bruce, of Pleasanton, won second place at a hand made quilt contest held at the J. C. Penny and Co., at Livermore, recently.

The quilt entered by Mrs. Bruce was over a hundred years old. She received as a reward for having the second best quilt a bed spread.

Quilts were entered from Pleasanton, Livermore, Altamont, and Dublin. They ranged in age from some which were newly-made to others which were over a century old.

They were judged fifty per cent on color and design, and fifty per cent on workmanship. The judges were Mrs. Chas. Florio, Mrs. Fred Hall, of Pleasanton, Mrs. M. G. Callaghan, Mrs.

HAYWARD FARMERS DOWN AMADOR DONS BY ONE RUN LEAD

Errors of Pleasanton Boys Lose Game for Them

With the Amador infield staging a comedy of errors, the Amador Dons were defeated by the Hayward Farmers in a game played at Hayward last Tuesday afternoon. The score was eight to nine.

Bob Silva, twirler for the Dons, pitched an exceptionally good game, holding the Hayward boys to five hits. He didn't receive the right kind of support from the rest of the team. With the exception of Marino and Nerton, who played a good game in the field and made sensational plays in putting out Hayward runners, the team was in a slump.

The remaining Dons booted the ball on practically every opportunity, with the result that Hayward made enough unearned runs to win two ball games. The batting record of the Dons was up to normal, putting the Hayward pitcher out of the box at the beginning of the game. The fact that the Dons base runners failed to keep their heads allowed Hayward to make two double plays that should have gone down for single outs.

Nerton played one of his best games of the season. He got three hits out of four times at bat. Of the three hits, two were double baggers.

When the Dons got up to bat in the ninth inning there were still hopes of victory. Bob Silva,

Pleasanton Man Wins Trophy in Shooting Match

George Patterson Gets High Point Cup for Rifle Work

George Patterson, of Pleasanton, shooting with the Albany Rifle Association in team competition against the Pariffin Paint Company, of Oakland, won a silver trophy cup last Sunday.

The cup was presented to the high score man for the match. Patterson is the athletic coach at the Amador Valley high school. He has won several rifle matches held in the past.

The Albany team has been undefeated in its league matches so far this year. The team defeated the Vallejo team several weeks ago, the first time in three years that the Vallejo boys have been defeated.

The other undefeated member of the league is the Mare Island Gun Club, which the Albany team will meet the latter part of this month. This match will probably determine the league winner.

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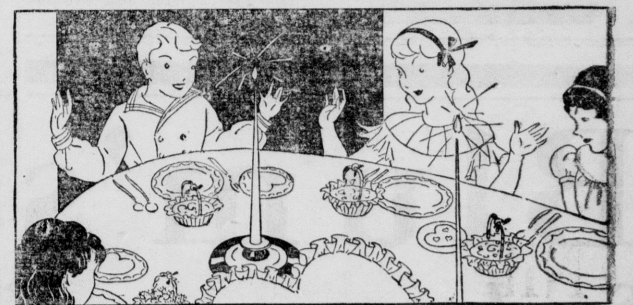
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Ideas For Valentine Parties For Children and Grown-Ups



By JOSEPHINE GIBSON
Director, Heinz Food Institute

THE Valentine season is an excellent time to plan delightful parties for everyone—children and grown-ups! Most parties during this month have as their theme, this day of sentiment which so warms the hearts of all of us. It is an ideal time for a most enjoyable party. The decorations may be simple and inexpensive with a generous amount of hearts used throughout the house, for table decorations, in bridge tables, candies and even in the prizes for games. It is possible to add all manner of delightful frills. Menus suggested below will help you to plan what to serve at your Valentine party.

Veal or Chicken a la King on Heart Shaped Biscuit
Stuffed Spanish Olives Preserved Sweet Gherkins
Raspberry Ice Heart Shaped Frosted Cakes

Valentine Salad* Heart Sandwiches
Angel Food Jelly Balls
Salted Nuts Heart Mints

Children's Party Supper Menu
Creamed Hard Cooked Eggs
(Sprinkled with small heart shaped pieces of toast)
Valentine Dessert* Heart Cookies
Valentine Mints Hot Chocolate

*Indicates recipes are given below.

Valentine Salad: 1 package lemon flavored gelatin, 1 cup boiling water, 1 teaspoon Pure Vinegar, ½ cup juice from can of Royal Anne Cherries, ½ cup cherries, cut in halves; ½ cup Mayonnaise Salad Dressing, ½ cup whipped cream, canned pears, red vegetable coloring. Dissolve gelatin in boiling water. Add vinegar and cherry juice. When mixture begins to thicken, add cherries. Fold in mayonnaise salad dressing and whipped cream. When firm, cut in squares and place a square in a nest of lettuce for each person. On each square of salad place a half of canned pear that has been soaked in pear juice, in which a small amount of red vegetable coloring has been dissolved, and cut in heart shape. This gives the pear a deep

pink color without changing the

flavor. Serve as a dressing, mayonnaise salad dressing into which has been folded an equal part of

whipped cream.
Valentine Dessert: 1 package cherry, raspberry or strawberry gelatin, 2 cups boiling water, 6 slices pineapple, 6 Maraschino cherries. Dissolve gelatin in boiling water and pour into shallow pan, having gelatin mixture about ¼ inch deep in pan. Chill thoroughly and allow to set. Arrange paper doilies on small plates. On each place a ring of pineapple that has been thoroughly drained. In the hollow of pineapple, place a cherry. Over the pineapple ring, place a heart shaped piece of gelatin, cut using a heart cutter. Serve at once with or without whipped cream.

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The Newark Register

By KARL NORDVIK

Newark Youth Is Preparing For Exams

Thor Nordvik is spending this week in Berkeley preparing for the California Board of Pharmacy examinations coming up in the latter part of the week in San Francisco.

Louis Smith spent Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dutra in Mission San Jose.

Mrs. Bernice Montazano, of San Francisco, spent Sunday visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. Yeyes, in Newark.

Thorval Anderson spent Sunday visiting at the home of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Faria, in Oakland.

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Hayward Theater

Friday—Saturday—April 22-23:
Walter Houston with Jean Harlow in

THE BEAST OF THE CITY

Sunday—Monday—April 24-25:
Charles "Chic" Sale in
THE EXPERT

Tuesday, April 26:
Dorothy Mackaill in
SAFE IN HELL

Wednesday-Thursday—Apr. 27-28:
Buster Keaton with Jimmy Durant in
THE PASSIONATE PLUMBER
Also "The Legion on Parade,"
Official American Legion picture.

NEWARK WOMAN'S FATHER DIES IN NORWAY

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Nordvik recently received the sad news of the passing away of Mrs. Nordvik's father, Herr Karl Svensen, in Norway.

Herr Svensen is known throughout Europe as a composer of music. For about fifty years he has held the position of pipe-organist in one of Norway's largest cathedrals. He died at the age of seventy-three years.

BENEFIT CARD PARTY IS HELD IN PLEASANTON

Eleven Tables of Whist Occupy Players at Affair

A card party for the benefit of the St. Augustine Parish, Pleasanton, was held at the parish hall last Tuesday evening. There were eleven tables. Whist was enjoyed throughout the evening.

Those winning honors were Mrs. Emma Alexander, of Pleasanton; Miss Kitty Long, of Livermore; Mrs. Lillie Jackson, Mrs. Con Nevin, Mrs. Louise Reimers, Miss Velma Andrade, Ernest Schween, Mrs. J. Hal Cope, Mrs. Mariam Base and Joe Vizzolini, of Pleasanton; Mrs. H. Johnson and Mrs. Margarite Terra, of Sunol; Mrs. M. Lopez, Mrs. D'Arcy Chase and Mrs. William Sylvia, of Pleasanton; P. Schroder, of Livermore; and Miss Gladys Rose, Mrs. J. R. Cronin and Miss Margaret Moynihan, of Pleasanton.

Those winning other honors were Mrs. F. G. Rose, Mrs. W. J. Martin, Mrs. Ernest Ferrario, Miss M. Moynihan, Mrs. E. Reimers, Jack Marsh, Mrs. Maryana Andrade, Mrs. John J. Amaral, Con Nevin, Mrs. J. R. Cronin, Mrs. M. R. Paulo and Mrs. J. M. Rose, Sr., all of Pleasanton.

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By JACK TOWNSEND

At the district court of honor at Centerville Tuesday night, Niles, Newark, Irvington and Centerville were represented and received awards. The court was presided over by George Coit, chairman; F. Gyax, J. E. Townsend, Frank Nunes and Tom Silva. Robert Myers, Sea Scout executive, was present at the gathering. He talked of Sea Scouting and mobilization in time of disorder. He also stressed good times during hard times. Myers complimented the township troop on their good work.

The following received awards: Chas. Myrick, camping; Anthony Souza, camping, leathercraft; Everett Mendelhall, wood work, wood carving; Harry Cesar, pathfinding; George Jorgensen, birdstudy, marksmanship; John Santos, dairying, pathfinding; David Rice, pathfinding; A. Lemons, pathfinding; Robert Salz, star.

Alton Stienoff, first; Milton Dufhaf, second; Frank Gyax second; A. Raymond, second; D. Tenera, second; S. Ichesoka, second. Scoutmaster Green, of Niles, and Scott, of Newark, received their troop charters. Everett Mendelhall and Jack Townsend, of Niles, received the Junior Assistant award.

A special joint meeting of members of Troop No. 1 and 2 committee members has been called for this evening (Thursday) at the home of J. E. Townsend at 8 o'clock.

Members of Group No. 2 took a hike into the hills back of the Spring Valley Water Company reservoir last Saturday afternoon. Some of the points of interest were the collecting and identification of eighteen varieties of wild flowers in ten minutes in about an eighteen-foot radius.

The Irvington Troop went swimming at San Leandro last Saturday afternoon. Glen Dixon gave a life saving exhibition.

Troop No. 2 committee met last Thursday evening at the home of E. G. Brinkmeyer. Several hikes were planned for the boys.

The Irvington Troop has a new swimming instructor, Glen Dixon. He is authorized to pass the boys in all life saving and swimming tests.

Scoutmaster M. Green, Assistant Scoutmaster L. Pine and James Geib visited the Irvington and Newark troops Monday night.

The Newark troop committee held its monthly meeting Wednesday night at the home of Louis Ruschin.

The Niles Troop No. 1 will put on an investiture ceremony for the Newark troop Monday night, April 25. Scoutmaster Scott urges all the scouts of the Newark troop to attend. It will be the first time the Newark scouts have experienced such a ceremony.

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By EVELYN ROSE

The Gemewance group worked on raffin, making ten pots. They practiced singing songs. The group is going ahead in a splendid manner and has a very interesting program to follow to the end of the school term.

He who feels the spell of the wild,
The rhythmic of falling waters,
The echoes among the crags,
The bird songs,
The wind in the pines,
And the endless beat of waves upon the shore,
Is in tune with the universe
And he will know what human brotherhood means.
—Enos Mills.

A special meeting is to be called Thursday afternoon for the high school girls of the Tinega group.

Beauty? What is it but a new way of approach for wildness, for forgiveness! I have no need to go a mile. I have only to come up through my thicket or cross my fields from my own roadside—and behold a new heaven and new earth! Things grow old and stale not because they are old, but because we cease to see them.
—David Grayson.

MORE ON FLAMES SWEEP

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direction of the business and residential section of Niles.

The shed containing the lug boxes was located so near the doomed warehouse that it was impossible to save it from the hungry fire.

The huge crowd of excited people which thronged the highway to watch the fire was treated to a spectacular sight when the blaze was at its height. The warehouse which was about 100 feet wide and 400 feet long burned like tinder and created a blaze which sent crackling flames high into the air. When the roof of the building, which stood until the very last, toppled over, large billows of black smoke rolled over the landscape and almost obliterated the sight of the fire. The angry roar of the flames was punctuated with the sharp sound of fruit cans bursting like exploding shells under the intense heat. The fire was still burning Saturday morning.

Cause of the blaze could not be determined. Superintendent Hook is of the opinion it originated inside the warehouse. When first arriving on the scene, he opened the door at the north end of the building and found the south end all in flames. By the time he had run around to the end where the fire was raging, the flames were not yet burning on the outside, thus leading to his conclusion the fire started in the inside.

A transient told Hook he had seen two boys hurrying away across the orchard by the warehouse in the direction of Niles, but this was not considered a valuable clue.

The cases of canned fruit which consisted of peaches and pears were stored in the warehouse awaiting their use in manufacture of fruit salad at the cannery later on this year.

This is the second fire which has devastated Schuckl warehouse at Niles. A blaze destroyed a warehouse at approximately the same date in 1928. The warehouse at that time was empty.

It is not known yet whether the destroyed buildings will be rebuilt.

Oceanside—Work under way on erection of mausoleum at I. O. O. F. cemetery.

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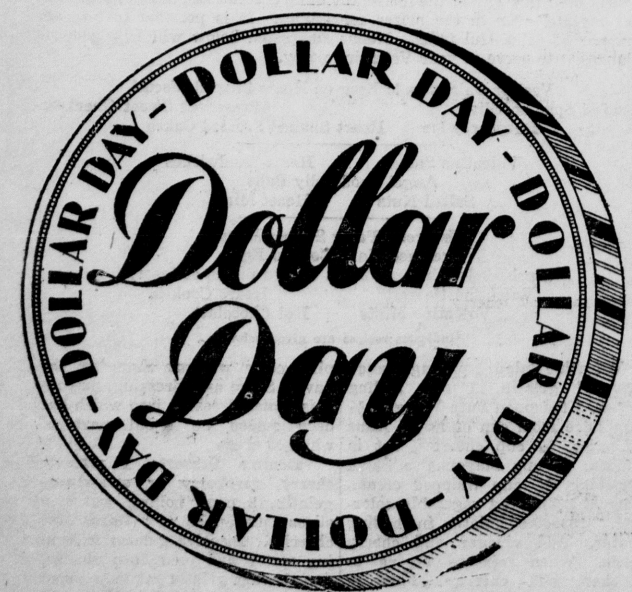
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